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August 3, 1999

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Nashville, Tennessee 37245

Re: *Proceeding for the Purpose of Addressing Competitive Effects of Contract Service Arrangements Filed by BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. in Tennessee*
Docket No. 98-00559

Dear Mr. Collier:

Thank you very much for agreeing to extend BellSouth's filing date for its reply testimony from Wednesday, August 4, until Friday, August 6, 1999. This will confirm that none of the parties opposed BellSouth's request. I have attached for your information a copy of the letter I faxed yesterday morning to counsel for the parties of record.

A copy of this letter is being provided to counsel of record.

Very truly yours,

Guy M. Hicks

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Enclosure

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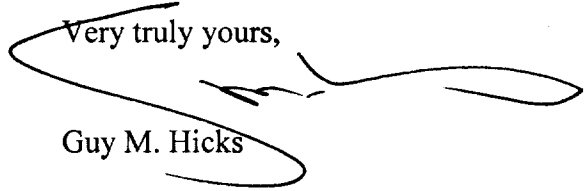
Late Friday afternoon, BellSouth received approximately 160 pages of rebuttal testimony and exhibits from various parties. The Hearing Officer's Fourth Report and Recommendation states that BellSouth's reply testimony is due to be filed on Wednesday, August 4. I am writing to request that you agree to BellSouth filing its reply testimony on Friday, August 6, a two-day extension. As you know, the hearing is scheduled for August 17 and 18, which should allow sufficient time for you to review BellSouth's reply testimony prior to the hearing.

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Please let me know as soon as possible if you have any objection to this request. I would like to call the Hearing Officer this afternoon to request the two-day extension and I anticipate that he will ask if there are any objections from the parties.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



Guy M. Hicks

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on August 3, 1999, a copy of the foregoing document was served on the parties of record, via the method indicated:

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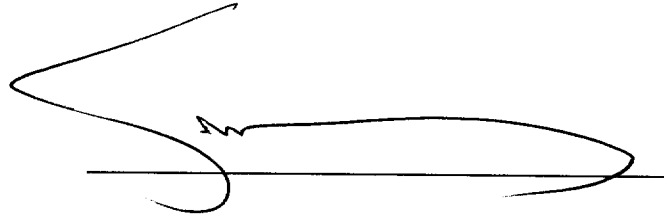
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Val Sanford", is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping initial "V" and a long, horizontal stroke that ends in a small loop.